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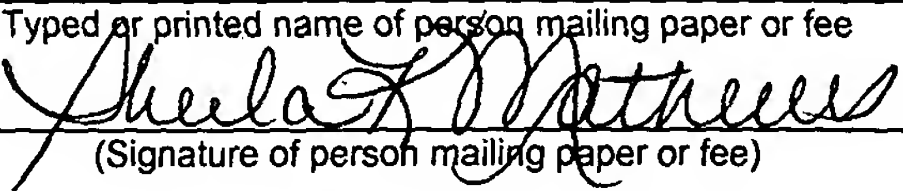
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, the references listed below and on the attached form PTO-1449 are being brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. Copies of the cited documents are enclosed.

English-Language Documents

U. S. Patent 6,574,206, Young
U. S. Patent 6,574,199, Young et al.
U. S. Patent 6,515,973, Young
U. S. Patent 6,504,829, Young et al.

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